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CHAPTER 289

## **HOUSE BILL 2689**

AN ACT

ESTABLISHING THE RESERVATION TELECOMMUNICATIONS LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE.

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 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

## Section 1. Reservation telecommunications legislative study committee

- A. The reservation telecommunications legislative study committee is established consisting of the following members:
- 1. Three members of the house of representatives who are appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, not more than two of whom are members of the same political party. The speaker shall designate one of these members to serve as cochairperson of the study committee.
- 2. Three members of the senate who are appointed by the president of the senate, not more than two of whom are members of the same political party. The president shall designate one of these members to serve as cochairperson of the study committee.
  - B. The study committee shall:
- 1. Identify methods to track tribal contributions to the state transaction privilege tax.
- 2. Identify an appropriate distribution formula that is modeled after the current city and state shared revenue formulas.
- 3. Identify an appropriate transaction privilege tax distribution process for tribal governments.
- 4. Recommend tribal telecommunications legislation that incorporates the state transaction privilege tax.
- 5. Submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the speaker of the house of representatives and the president of the senate on or before June 30, 2007. The committee shall provide a copy of the report to the secretary of state and the director of the Arizona state library, archives and public records.
- C. The study committee shall conduct its first meeting in conjunction with the 2006 Arizona Indian Town Hall. The study committee may conduct additional meetings as determined by the cochairpersons, except that the study committee may only conduct a total of five meetings.
  - Sec. 2. Delayed repeal

This act is repealed from and after December 31, 2007.

Sec. 3. <u>Emergency</u>

This act is an emergency measure that is necessary to preserve the public peace, health or safety and is operative immediately as provided by law.

EMERGENCY NOT ENACTED APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 19, 2006.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY 19, 2006.